<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS KINGSFORD, MICHIGAN

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2004

Michigan Deptartment of Treasury 496 (2-04) Auditing Procedures Report

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Audit Date				Opinion Date		Date Accountant Report Subm	Kingsfor	d Dick:	inson	
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accordar	We have audited the financial statements of this local unit of government and rendered an opinion on financial statements prepared in accordance with the Statements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and the Upon Counting Financial Statements for Counties and Local Units of Government in Michigan by the Michigan Department of TREASURE.									
We affire	We affirm that:									
1. We have complied with the Bulletin for the Audits of Local Units of Government in Michigan as revised.										
2. We are certified public accountants registered to practice in Michigan. We further affirm the following: "Yee" represes have been displaced in the financial extremely included:										
We further affirm the following. "Yes" responses have been disclosed in the financial statements, including the notes, or in the report of comments and recommendations										
You must	t check the	app	licable	box for each item b	elow.					
Yes	x No	1.	Certa	in component units/	funds/agencie	s of the local unit are exc	luded from the	financial statem	ients.	
Yes	Yes X No 2. There are accumulated deficits in one or more of this unit's unreserved fund balances/retained earnings (P.A. 275 of 1980).									
Yes	X No	3.	There amen		non-compliand	e with the Uniform Acco	ounting and Bi	udgeting Act (P.	A. 2 of 1968, as	
Yes	Yes No 4. The local unit has violated the conditions of either an order issued under the Municipal Finance Act or its requirements, or an order issued under the Emergency Municipal Loan Act.									
Yes	x No	5.	The lo	ocal unit holds deponended [MCL 129.91	osits/investme I], or P.A. 55 o	nts which do not comply of 1982, as amended [MC	with statutory L 38.1132]).	requirements. (P.A. 20 of 1943,	
Yes	X No	6.	The lo	ocal unit has been d	elinquent in di	stributing tax revenues th	at were collect	ed for another ta	axing unit.	
Yes	X No	7.	pensio	on benefits (normal	costs) in the	tutional requirement (Arti current year. If the plan equirement, no contribution	is more than 1	00% funded and	the overfunding	
Yes	x No	8.	The lo	ocal unit uses cred 129.241).	it cards and I	has not adopted an app	licable policy a	as required by F	P.A. 266 of 1995	
Yes	X No	9.	The lo	ocal unit has not ado	pted an inves	tment policy as required t	oy P.A. 196 of	1997 (MCL 129.9	95).	
We have	enclosed	the	follow	ring:			Enclosed	To Be Forwarded	Not Required	
The lette	r of comm	ents	and re	commendations.			x			
Reports	on individu	al fe	deral fi	nancial assistance p	programs (pro	gram audits).			x	
Single A	Single Audit Reports (ASLGU).									
Certified Pu	Certified Public Accountant (Firm Name) Scott R. Kenney, CPA									
Street Addr	Street Address City State ZIP									
Accountant	1374 Commercial Avenue Crystal Falls MI 49920 Accountant Signature Date							49920		
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and City Council City of Kingsford Kingsford, Michigan 49802

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Kingsford, Michigan, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the City's elected officials and management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinions.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Kingsford, Michigan, as of June 30, 2004, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As described in Note A, the City has implemented a new financial reporting model, as required by the provisions of GASB Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements-and Management's Discussion and Analysis-for State and Local Governments, as of June 30, 2004.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and Budgetary Comparison Schedules as listed in the table of contents are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. I have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, I did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Kingsford, Michigan's basic financial statements. The introductory section, statistical tables and additional information section are presented for additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The additional information section has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The introductory section and statistical tables have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, I express no opinion on them.

Certified Public

September 17, 2004

CITY OF KINGSFORD MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS June 30, 2004

Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the City as a whole and present a longer-term view of the City's finances. Fund financial statements tell how these services were financed in the short-term, as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the City's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

The City as a Whole

The City's combined net assets increased 0.3% from a year ago - increasing from \$12.686 million to \$12.724 million. As we look at the governmental activities separately from the business-type activities, we can see that the governmental activities experienced a decrease of approximately \$188,000 during the year (2.0% decrease). This is attributed to an increase in retiree health benefit costs, several street upgrade and construction projects, and a decrease in State Revenue Sharing Payments. In addition, a fire occurred at City Hall on June 2, 2004. The costs incurred to date have been insured and we expect that additional costs incurred will also be insured. A City Hall renovation is being planned in conjunction with the repairs of the fire damage in forthcoming fiscal periods. The business-type activities experienced a \$226,000 increase in net assets, primarily as a result of increased sewer charges designated for future system upgrades and expansion. In a condensed format, the table below shows a comparison of the net assets (in thousands of dollars) as of the current date to the prior year:

		nmental vities		ss-Type vities	Total		
	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	
Current Assets Noncurrent Assets	\$ 3,574 <u>8,557</u>	\$ 3,632 <u>8,867</u>	\$ 1,156 3,001	\$ 1,485 	\$ 4,730 12,558	\$ 5,117 12,062	
Total Assets	\$12,131	\$ 12,499	\$ 4,157	\$ 4,680	\$16,288	\$17,179	
Long-Term Debt Outstanding Other Liabilities	\$ 2,656 287	\$ 2,734 389	\$ 521 100	\$ 526 <u>844</u>	\$ 3,177 387	\$ 3,260 1,233	
Total Liabilities	\$ 2,943	\$ 3,123	<u>\$ 621</u>	\$1,370	\$ 3,564	\$ 4,493	
Net Assets Invested in Capital Assets–Net of Debt Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 6,342 7 2,839	\$ 6,293 1 3,082	\$ 2,178 544 814	\$ 2,311 358 641	\$ 8,520 551 3,653	\$ 8,604 359 3,723	
Total Net Assets	\$ 9,188	\$ 9,376	\$ 3,536	\$ 3,310	\$12,724	\$12,686	

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS June 30, 2004

Unrestricted net assets—the part of net assets that can be used to finance day to day operations, decreased by \$243,000 for the governmental activities. This represents a decrease of approximately 7.9%. The current level of unrestricted net assets for our governmental activities stands at \$2.839 million, or about 73.67% of expenditures.

The following table shows the changes of the net assets (in thousands of dollars) as of the current date to the prior year:

	Govern Activ		Busines Activ		Total			
	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003		
Program Revenues								
Charges for Services	\$ 95		\$ 701		\$ 796			
Operating Grants and Contributions	528		0		528			
Capital Grants and Contributions	0		0		0			
General Revenues								
Property Taxes	\$ 2,042		\$ 0		\$ 2,042			
State-Shared Revenues	671	N	0	N	671	N		
Unrestricted Investment Earnings	451	Ö	53	Ö	504	O		
Fines and forfeitures	21	T	0	T	21	T		
Reimbursements and other	132		0	•	132	1		
Sale of land	49		0		49			
Transfers and Other Revenue	0		0		0			
Total Revenues	\$ 3,989		\$ 754		\$ 4,743			
Program Expenses		Α		Α		Α		
General Government	\$ 582	V	\$ 0	V	\$ 582	V		
Public Safety	1,315	Α	0	À	1,315	Å		
Public Works	1,585	I	0	I	1,585	I		
Insurance and Benefits	249	L	0	Ĺ	249	Ĺ		
Recreation & Culture	100	Α	0	Ā	100	Ā		
Other	288	В	0	В	288	В		
Interest on Long-Term Debt	58	L	0	L	58	L		
Water & Sewer	0	Е	528_	Е	528	E		
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 4,177</u>		\$ 528		\$ 4,705			
Change in Net Assets	\$ (188)		\$ 226		\$ 38			

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS June 30, 2004

The City's net assets continue to remain healthy. Some new businesses have located in the City of Kingsford and new home construction continued at a steady pace this past year.

Governmental Activities

The City's total governmental revenues increased by approximately \$134,000 due to the insurance reimbursement received for fire losses and the increase in interest and rental income attributable to additional rentals received for the use of equipment on street projects.

Cash expenditures increased by nearly \$268,000 during the year. This was primarily due to the street projects undertaken and other capital outlay.

Business-Type Activities

The City's business-type activities consist of the Water and Sewer Funds. The City provides water to residents, which comes from the City's own water system. The City also provides sewage treatment to residents through the Iron Mountain-Kingsford Sewage Treatment Authority. The Water Fund revenues increased slightly due to very dry conditions. The expenses in the Water Fund decreased due to the cost controls that have been implemented and a lower than normal level of repairs to the water system. This resulted in a lowering of the net operating loss by approximately \$36,000. The Sewer Fund revenues increased due to a charge increase that has been designated primarily for future system upgrades and expansion. Expenses decreased dramatically in the Sewer Fund due to the drop in professional engineering services required in the 2003-2004 fiscal year. This resulted in an increase in net operating income of more than \$63,000.

The City's Funds

Analysis of the City's major funds begins on page 12, following the entity-wide financial statements. The fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds, not the City as a whole. The City Council creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities, such as a special property tax millage. The City's major funds for 2003-2004 include the General Fund, Major Street Fund, Small Cities Grant Loan Repayment Fund, Water Fund and Sewer Fund.

The General Fund pays for most of the City's governmental services. The most significant are general maintenance of city property and buildings, maintaining the City's equipment, police and fire services and general administration. These services are primarily funded from property taxes assessed to the residents of the City and revenues shared with the State of Michigan.

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS June 30, 2004

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the City Board amended the budget to take into account events during the year. The most significant revenue changes were in State Shared Revenues which was decreased by \$12,000 due to a drop in payments from the State of Michigan and Interest which was decreased by \$7,000 because of continued decline in interest rates. Various expenditure categories were adjusted by amounts aggregating a like amount resulting in no change to the original net budget.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

At the end of 2004, the City had more than \$12,600,000 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including snow removal equipment, police and fire equipment, land and buildings and water and sewer lines. In addition, the City has invested significantly in roads and buildings within the City. The cost value of the roads at the end of the 2004 fiscal year exceeded \$6,100,000. These roads are maintained by the City with the costs recorded in the major and local street funds.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

The City's budget for 2004-2005 calls for a freeze on property tax rates. This can be accomplished because of the controls that are being placed on governmental fund expenditures. Because of the impact of Proposal A, however, the City needs to continue to watch its budget very closely. The state-wide tax reform act limits growth in taxable value on any individual property to the lesser of inflation or 5%. Because some properties increase in value by less than the inflationary rate, the mathematical result of this is that the total taxable value for the City will grow at a rate less than inflation, before considering new property additions.

As discussed above, the City will be outlaying funds to repair and renovate the City hall during the forthcoming fiscal year. The costs and insurance reimbursement amounts have not yet been determined.

Contacting the City's Management

This financial report is intended to provide the citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors with a general overview of the City's finances and to show the City's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the manager's office.

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> GOVERNMENT WIDE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2004

PRIMARY GOVERNMENT **GOVERNMENTAL BUSINESS-TYPE COMPONENT ACTIVITIES** ACTIVITIES **TOTAL** UNIT **ASSETS CURRENT ASSETS** Cash and equivalents \$ 2,700,208 \$ 1,030,116 3,730,324 93,725 Receivables - net 748,244 102,262 850,506 2,241 Investments 0 0 0 287,675 Prepaid expenses 0 0 0 10,826 Internal balances 125,436 24,321 149,757 2,034 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS 3,573,888 \$ 1,156,699 4,730,587 396,501 RESTRICTED ASSETS - Cash and equivalents \$ 7,399 301,835 \$ 309,234 0 **NON-CURRENT ASSETS** Property and equipment, net of depreciation \$ 8,550,051 \$ 2,699,007 \$ 11,249,058 1,120,719 TOTAL ASSETS \$ 12,131,338 \$ 4,157,541 \$ 16,288,879 \$ 1,517,220 LIABILITIES **CURRENT LIABILITIES** Accounts payable \$ 54,902 6,412 \$ 61,314 \$ 6,757 Accrued and other liabilities 192,114 93,711 285,825 39,601 Interprogram payables 0 0 2,034 Current part of non-current liabilities 40,000 5,000 45,000 0 TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES \$ 287,016 \$ 105,123 392,139 48,392 LIABILITIES PAYABLE FROM RESTRICTED ASSETS 0 \$ 43,392 \$ 43,392 0 NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Compensated absences \$ 167,624 0 \$ 167,624 18,727 Bonds payable 2,207,600 0 2,207,600 0 Revenue bonds payable 0 472,608 472,608 0 Unfunded accrued actuarial pension liability 280,668 0 280,668 0 TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES \$ 2,655,892 \$ 472,608 \$ 3,128,500 18,727 TOTAL LIABILITIES \$ 2,942,908 \$ 621,123 3,564,031 67,119 **NET ASSETS** Invested in capital assets, net of related debt 6,342,451 2,178,007 8,520,458 1,120,719 Restricted for **Forfeitures** 7,399 0 7,399 0 Repair and reconstruction 0 544,157 544,157 0 Unrestricted 2,838,580 814,254 3,652,834 329,382

The Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

TOTAL NET ASSETS \$ __

9,188,430 \$

3,536,418

\$ 12,724,848

1,450,101

CITY OF KINGSFORD GOVERNMENT WIDE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year ended June 30, 2004

		_			PROGRAM REVE	NU	ES
			CHARGES		OPERATING		CAPITAL
			FOR		GRANTS AND		GRANTS AND
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS	EXPENSES		SERVICES	_	CONTRIBUTIONS	<u> </u>	CONTRIBUTIONS
Governmental Activities							
General government	\$ 582,152	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
Public safety	1,314,843		0		0		0
Public works	1,584,822		94,872		528,413		0 _
Insurance	248,877		0		0		0
Recreation and culture	99,549		0		0		0
Other	288,130		0		0		0 🗖
Interest on long-term debt	58,423		0		0		0
TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	\$ 4,176,795	\$	94,872	\$	528,413	\$	0
Business-Type Activities							
Water	\$ 480,737	\$	406,180	\$	0	\$	0 🕳
Sewer	47,016		294,363		0		0
TOTAL BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES	\$ 527,753	\$	700,543	\$	0	\$	0
Component Unit - Kingsford Housing Commission	\$ 438,644	\$	159,587	\$	209,176	\$	0

GENERAL REVENUES

Property taxes

State shared revenues and grants

Unrestricted investments earnings

Fines and forfeitures

Reimbursements

Other

SPECIAL ITEM-Gain (loss) on sale of land

TRANSFERS

TOTAL GENERAL REVENUES AND SPECIAL ITEMS

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS

Net assets - beginning

NET ASSETS - ENDING

NET REVENUE (EXPENSE) AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
PRIMARY GOVERNMENT

		PR	IM/	ARY GOVERNMENT				
		GOVERNMENTAL		BUSINESS-TYPE				COMPONENT
_		ACTIVITIES		ACTIVITIES		TOTAL		UNIT
-	•					101110		ONT
į.	\$	(582,152)			\$	(582,152)		
		(1,314,843)			Ψ	` , ,		
		(961,537)				(1,314,843)		
		(248,877)				(961,537)		
		(99,549)				(248,877)		
		(288,130)				(99,549)		
						(288,130)		
	•	(58,423)				(58,423)		
_	\$	(3,553,510)			\$	(3,553,510)		
						·		
			\$	(74,557)	\$	(74,557)		
				247,347		247,347		
_			\$	172,790	\$	172,790		
i								
							\$	(69,881)
_								
	\$	2,041,523	\$	0	\$	2,041,523	\$	0
_		671,123		0		671,123	*	0
		451,143		53,693		504,836		6,796
		20,547		0		20,547		0,750
_		69,277		0		69,277		0
		63,035		0		63,035		6,946
		49,016		0		49,016		(181)
_	_	0		0				0
	\$	3,365,664	\$	53,693	\$	3,419,357	\$	13,561
			•	55,055	Ψ.	3,117,337	Φ.	13,301
	\$	(187,846)	\$	226,483	\$	38,637	\$	(56,320)
		9,376,276	٠	3,309,935	Ψ	12,686,211	Ψ	1,506,421
	_		•		•	12,000,211	-	1,500,421
	\$ _	9,188,430	\$.	3,536,418	\$.	12,724,848	\$ _	1,450,101
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CITY OF KINGSFORD GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET COMBINED BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2004

ASSETS	GENERAL FUND	MAJOR STREET FUND	SMALL CITIES GRANT LOAN REPAYMENT FUND
Cash and equivalents Taxes receivable - net Accounts/notes receivable Due from other funds Due from other governmental units Restricted assets	\$ 1,983,810 0 54,984 125,436 91,481 7,399	\$ 312,955 0 0 0 56,164 0	\$ 258,243 0 522,784 0 0
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,263,110	\$ 369,119	\$ 781,027
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable Accrued payroll expense Due to other funds Deferred revenue	\$ 46,016 80,596 24,321	\$ 969 1,967 40,689	\$ 383 0 0 522,784
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 150,933	\$ 43,625	\$ 523,167
FUND BALANCES			
Reserved for Forfeitures Unreserved	\$ 7,399 2,104,778	\$ 0 325,494	\$ 0 257,860
TOTAL FUND EQUITY	\$ 2,112,177	\$ 325,494	\$ 257,860
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ 2,263,110	\$ 369,119	\$ 781,027

-	GC	NON-MAJOR OVERNMENTAL FUND	TOTAL GOVERNMENTAI FUNDS
	\$	145,200 \$	2,700,208
		0	0
		0	577,768
•		0	125,436
		22,831	170,476
		0	7,399
•	\$ _	168,031 \$	3,581,287
•			
	\$	7,534 \$	54,902
1		3,113	85,676
		41,428	106,438
	-	0	522,784
	\$	52,075 \$	769,800
5	\$	0 \$	7,399
		115,956	2,804,088
	_		-,,
\$	_	115,956 \$	2,811,487
\$	S	168,031 \$	3,581,287
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CITY OF KINGSFORD

RECONCILIATION OF BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2004

Total fund balance - total governmental funds	\$	2,811,487
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds net of related depreciation		8,550,051
Long term liabilities:		
Bonds not due and payable within the current period and not reported in the funds Accumulated employee vacation and personal pay not used in current period Unfunded accrued actuarial pension liability not payable in the current period		(2,247,600) (167,624) (280,668)
Eliminate deferred income recognition of notes receivable	_	522,784
NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES \$		9.188.430

CITY OF KINGSFORD GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE Year ended June 30, 2004

		GENERAL FUND		MAJOR STREET FUND		SMALL CITIES GRANT LOAN REPAYMENT FUND
REVENUES	Φ	1.007.040	•	0	Φ.	2
Property taxes	\$	1,897,842	\$	0	\$	0
Federal grants		7,560		206.515		0
State shared revenues and grants Licenses and permits		671,123 157		386,515 0		0
Fines and forfeitures		20,547		0		$0 \\ 0$
Charges for services		94,872		0		0
Interest and rentals		413,680		4,369		30,300
Sale of property and supplies		42,516		4,309		30,300 0
Reimbursements		69,277		0		0
Other		5,997		0		56,489
Office	,	3,771	-		-	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	3,223,571	\$	390,884	\$	86,789
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
General government	\$	483,373	\$	0	\$	4,972
Public safety		1,301,363		0		0
Public works		867,941		227,218		0
Recreation		99,549		0		0
Insurance and benefits		248,877		0		0
Other		401		0		0
Capital outlay		0		108,907		0
Debt service		0	_	0	-	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	3,001,504	\$ _	336,125	\$	4,972
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	222,067	\$	54,759	\$	81,817
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Transfers in	\$	0	\$. 0	\$	0
Transfers (out)		(175,106)		0		0
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	\$	(175,106)	\$	0	\$	0
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES						
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	\$	46,961	\$	54,759	\$	81,817
Fund balance - beginning		2,065,216		270,735		176,043
FUND BALANCE - JUNE 30	\$	2,112,177	\$ _	325,494	\$	257,860

		NON-MAJOR	TOTAL
		GOVERNMENTAL	GOVERNMENTAL
		FUND	FUNDS
	_	•	
	\$	143,681	\$ 2,041,523
		0	7,560
		134,338	1,191,976
-		0	157
		0	20,547
		0	94,872
		2,794	451,143
		6,500	49,016
		0	69,277
		392	62,878
	\$	287,705	\$ 3,988,949
-			
	\$	1,440	\$ 489,785
		0	1,301,363
		184,212	1,279,371
		0	99,549
		0	248,877
		0	401
		182,293	291,200
		143,423	143,423
-	\$	511,368	\$ 3,853,969
_	\$	(223,663)	\$ 134,980
	\$	175,106	\$ 175,106
_		0	(175,106)
	\$	175,106	\$ 0
-			
	\$	(48,557)	\$ 134,980
-		164,513	2,676,507
	\$	115,956	\$ 2,811,487

CITY OF KINGSFORD

RECONCILIATION OF STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Year ended June 30, 2004

Net change in fund balance - total governmental funds	;	134,980
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the Statement of Activities these costs are allocated over their estimated useful life and reported as depreciation.		(120,098)
Repayments of loan principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds but not in the Statement of Activities (where it reduces long-term debt).		85,000
Increases in accumulated employee vacation and personal pay are recorded when earned in the Statement of Activities.		(7,061)
Increase in unfunded accrued actuarial pension liability not requiring the use of current financial resources	_	(280,668)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES \$	· =	(187,846)

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS June 30, 2004

		WATER UTILITY		SEWER UTILITY		TOTAL
ASSETS			-		•	
Current Assets:	_					
Cash and equivalents	\$	995,550	\$	34,566	\$	1,030,116
Accounts receivable Due from other funds		47,941		54,321		102,262
Due from other lunds		0	-	24,321		24,321
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$	1,043,491	\$	113,208	\$	1,156,699
Restricted Assets	\$	97,970	\$	203,865	\$	301,835
Property, plant and equipment:						
System assets	\$	4,673,774	\$	532,207	\$	5,205,981
Less accumulated depreciation		(2,475,256)		(31,718)		(2,506,974)
TOTAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	\$	2,198,518	\$	500,489	\$	2,699,007
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	3,339,979	\$	817,562	\$	4,157,541
LIABILITIES						
Current Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	6,341	\$	71	\$	6,412
Accrued payroll expenses		7,073		863		7,936
Accrued interest		5,861		0		5,861
Due to other funds		19,543		0		19,543
Due to other governmental units		0		60,371		60,371
Current portion of long term debt		5,000		0		5,000
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$	43,818	\$	61,305	\$	105,123
Long Term Debt - Bonds payable	\$	516,000	\$. 0	\$	516,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	559,818	\$	61,305	\$	621,123
NET ASSETS						
Invested in capital assets - net of related debt	\$	1,677,518	\$	500,489	\$	2,178,007
Restricted for debt service		43,392		0		43,392
Restricted for repairs and reconstruction		54,578		489,579		544,157
Unrestricted		1,004,673		(233,811)		770,862
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$	2,780,161	\$	756,257	\$	3,536,418

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

PROPRIETARY FUNDS Year ended June 30, 2004

OPERATING REVENUES	WATER UTILITY	-	SEWER UTILITY	_	TOTAL
Charges for services:					
Metered sales and service charges Taps, thaws and shutoffs Late payment penalties	\$ 400,750 1,675 3,755	\$	288,714 40 5,609	\$	689,464 1,715 9,364
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	\$ 406,180	\$	294,363	\$	700,543
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Personal services Contractual services Utilities Equipment rental Supplies Other services and charges Depreciation TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	170,319 10,263 41,478 34,417 11,989 10,149 178,621 457,236	\$	24,022 710 880 6,170 2,259 333 12,642 47,016	\$	194,341 10,973 42,358 40,587 14,248 10,482 191,263
NET OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	\$ (51,056)	\$	247,347	\$	196,291
NON-OPERATING GAINS/LOSSES Interest earned Interest expense	\$ 29,511 (23,501)	\$	24,182	\$	53,693 (23,501)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS Net assets - beginning	\$ (45,046) 2,825,207	\$	271,529 484,728	\$	226,483 3,309,935
NET ASSETS - ENDING	\$ 2,780,161	\$	756,257	\$	3,536,418

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

Year ended June 30, 2004

		ĺ	WATER UTILITY	SEWER UTILITY	TOTAL
-	CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		OTILITI	UTILITY	TOTAL
	Receipts from customers	\$	404,944 \$	294,363 \$	699,307
	Payments to suppliers		(109,050)	(10,351)	(119,401)
-	Payments to or on behalf of employees		(166,488)	(24,022)	(190,510)
	Internal activity-payments to other funds		(72,063)	(686,080)	(758,143)
,	TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM				
	OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	57,343 \$	(426,090) \$	(368,747)
-	CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
	Principal and interest paid on capital debt	\$	(28,558) \$	0 \$	(28,558)
	Purchases of capital assets		0	(53,024)	(53,024)
	Reduction of funding restricted accounts		(19,074)	422,259	403,185
	TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL				
	AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES	\$	(47,632) \$	369,235 \$	321,603
_	CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
	Interest earned	\$	\$	\$	53,693
_	NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	\$	39,222 \$	(32,673) \$	6,549
	Cash and equivalents - beginning		956,328	67,239	1,023,567
_	CASH AND EQUIVALENTS - ENDING	\$	995,550 \$	34,566 \$	1,030,116
	RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO				
, 188	NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIE	ES			
	Operating income (loss)	\$	(51,056) \$	247,347 \$	196,291
	Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities				
	Depreciation		170 (21	10.640	
	Change in Assets and Liabilities		178,621	12,642	191,263
	Receivables - net		(1,236)	13,535	12,299
-	Due from other funds		0	(24,321)	(24,321)
	Accounts payable		(754)	(10,567)	(11,321)
	Accrued payroll expense		3,831	154	3,985
-	Due to other funds		0	(675,423)	(675,423)
	Due to other governmental units	-	(72,063)	10,543	(61,520)
-	NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ _	57,343 \$	(426,090) \$	(368,747)

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS June 30, 2004

-		TRUST FU Police and Firemen's Pension Trust Fund	Police and Firemen's Retiree Insurance		AGENCY FUND TYPE Tax Collections	
,	ASSETS					
_	Cash and equivalents Investments Due from other governmental units	\$ 20,686 8,624,873 0	\$	24,950 0 0	\$	8,827 0 856
-	TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 8,645,559	\$	24,950	\$	9,683
_	LIABILITIES					
••••	Due to other funds Due to other governmental units Security deposits Deferred revenue	\$ 0 0 0 0	\$	23,519 0 0 1,431	\$	257 856 8,570 0
-	TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 0	\$	24,950	\$	9,683
,,,,,,,	NET ASSETS					
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Held in trust for pension benefits Held in trust for retiree insurance benefits	\$ 8,645,559	\$	0		

__The Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN PLAN NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Year ended June 30, 2004

	Police and Firemen's Pension Trust Fund		Retiree Insurance Trust Fund
ADDITIONS			
Contributions			
Tax collections \$	127,139	\$	0
Employer	0		142,019
Plan members	56,101	-	33,063
Total Contributions \$	183,240	\$	175,082
Investment Income			
Net appreciation (depreciation)			
in fair value of investments \$	842,683	\$	0
Interest and dividends	203,137		40
Less investment expense	(53,702)	-	0
Net Investment Income \$	992,118	\$	40
TOTAL ADDITIONS \$	1,175,358	\$	175,122
DEDUCTIONS			
Benefits paid \$	340,846	\$	175,122
Refund of contributions	169	Ψ	0
Administrative expense	14,227		0
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS \$	355,242	\$	175,122
NET INCREASE \$	820,116	\$	0
NET ASSETS HELD IN TRUST FOR PENSION OR RETIREE INSURANCE BENEFITS			
Beginning \$	7,825,443	\$	0
ENDING \$	8,645,559	\$	0
		•	

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS COMPONENT UNIT June 30, 2004

		KINGSFORD
		HOUSING
ACCETTO		COMMISSION
ASSETS CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and equivalents	\$	93,725
Accounts receivable	φ	2,241
Investments		287,675
Prepaid expenses		10,826
Interprogram receivable		2,034
TOTAL CURRENT ASSE	TS \$	396,501
NONCURRENT ASSETS		
Capital assets	\$	3,851,866
Less accumulated depreciation		(2,731,147)
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSE	TS \$	1,120,719
TOTAL ASSE	TS \$	1,517,220
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$	6,757
Accrued liabilities		39,601
Interprogram payable		2,034
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITI	ES \$	48,392
OTHER LIABILITIES	\$	18,727
TOTAL LIABILITI	ES \$	67,119
NET ASSETS		
Investment in capital assets, net of related debt	\$	1,120,719
Unrestricted net assets		329,382
NET ASSE	TS \$	1,450,101

CITY OF KINGSFORD

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE COMPONENT UNIT

Year ended June 30, 2004

		KINGSFORD HOUSING COMMISSION
OPERATING REVENUES		
Tenant revenue Program grants - subsidies Other	\$	159,587 209,176 6,946
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	\$	375,709
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Administration Tenant services Utilities Maintenance General Depreciation	\$	78,578 512 38,514 108,025 24,341 188,674
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	438,644
OPERATING (LOSS)	\$	(62,935)
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSES)		
Interest income (Loss) on sale of fixed assets	\$ -	6,796 (181)
TOTAL OTHER INCOME (EXPENSES)	\$	6,615
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$	(56,320)
Net assets - beginning		1,506,421
NET ASSETS - ENDING	\$.	1,450,101

CITY OF KINGSFORD STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS COMPONENT UNIT Year ended June 30, 2004

	KINGSFORD HOUSING COMMISSION
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Receipts from customers Receipts from grants and subsidies Payments to suppliers Payments to or on behalf of employees Payment in lieu of taxes Other receipts	\$ 158,315 209,176 (104,514) (130,454) (11,811) 6,946
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 127,658
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Purchases of capital assets	\$ (118,452)
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES	\$ (118,452)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Proceeds from investments Investment income	\$ 12,922 6,796
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	\$ 19,718
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH Cash and equivalents - beginning	\$ 28,924 64,801
CASH AND EQUIVALENTS - ENDING	\$ 93,725
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES Operating income (loss) Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$ (62,935)
Depreciation	188,674
Change in Assets and Liabilities Receivables - net Prepaid expenses Other assets Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Other liabilities	(1,272) (329) (2,034) (468) 2,361 3,661
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 127,658

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the City of Kingsford (City) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the City:

Reporting Entity

The City is governed by an elected five member council (Council). The accompanying financial statements present the government and its component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. Although blended component units are legal separate entities, in substance, they are part of the government's operations. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the government. The City does not have any component units that are blended.

DISCRETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNIT

The following component unit is reported within the "component unit" column in the government wide financial statements. The discretely presented component unit is an entity that is legally separate from the City of Kingsford, but for which the City is financially accountable, or its relationship with the City is such that exclusion would cause the City's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

Kingsford Housing Commission

The Kingsford Housing Commission (KHC), which was established in 1972 under criteria established for low income housing programs by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development is governed by a board of commissioners appointed by the City Council. Its purpose is to provide low cost housing to elderly and low income families in the City of Kingsford, Michigan. The separately issued audited financial statements of the Kingsford Housing Commission are available at its offices at 1025 Woodward Avenue, Kingsford, MI 49802.

JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

Joint Sewage Authority

The Iron Mountain-Kingsford Sewage Treatment Authority (Authority), was formed in 1960 under provisions established by the joint cooperation of the Cities of Iron Mountain and Kingsford, Michigan. The Plant operates under a board of commissioners consisting of the city manager of each City as well as a member appointed by the respective mayors of the Cities.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

The City remits a portion of its metered sewer utility collections to the Authority. The City receives a collection stipend from the Authority of \$450 per month. The City also retains all sewer tap fees and service charges collected.

The audited financial statements of the Joint Sewage Authority are available at the Kingsford City Offices, temporarily located at 1500 Carter Drive, Kingsford, MI 49802.

Dickinson County Solid Waste Management Authority

The City of Kingsford along with other units of government in Dickinson County, Michigan jointly operate the Dickinson County Solid Waste Management Authority (DCSWMA). All of the financial operations of DCSWMA are recorded in the records of the County of Dickinson, Michigan. The City's appropriation to DCSWMA for the year was \$124,911.

The audit report for DCSWMA for the year ended June 30, 2004, is available at its offices at W-7702 US 2, Iron Mountain, MI 49801.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of changes in net assets) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Taxes Receivable—Current Property Taxes

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied on July 1 and are due and payable at that time. All unpaid taxes levied July 1 become delinquent on the next August 15th.

Property tax revenues are recognized when they become available. Available includes those taxes expected to be collected within sixty days after year end. Since it is felt that certain delinquent taxes are not fully collectible, a reserve for uncollectible taxes of \$19,480 has been recorded in the City's General Fund.

The Taxable Value of the 2003-2004 taxable property is \$104,851,748. The City's total millage was 17.613 mills for operations, 1.200 mills for police and fire pension and 1.356 mills for debt service yielding tax levies of \$1,846,754, \$125,822, and \$142,179 respectively. The tax collection revenues as recorded in the funds vary slightly because of revenue recognition policies explained above.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

The Major Street Fund accounts for the resources of state gas and weight tax revenues that are restricted for use on Major Streets.

The Small Cities Grant Loan Repayment Fund accounts for the loans to businesses and related repayment activities to enhance economic development.

The government reports the following major proprietary funds:

The Water Fund accounts for the activities of the water distribution system.

The Sewer Fund accounts for the activities of the sewer collection system.

Private-sector standards of accounting issued prior to December 1, 1989, are generally followed in both the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with the standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The government has elected to also follow private-sector standards issued after November 30, 1989 for its business-type activities.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the government's water and sewer function and various other functions of the government. Eliminations of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Amounts reported as program revenue include: (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services or privileges provided; (2)operating grants and contributions; and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenue rather than as program revenue. Likewise, general revenue includes all taxes.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenue and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenue and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenue of the City's proprietary funds relate to charges to customers for sales and services. The water and sewer funds also recognizes the portion of the fees intended to recover current costs (e.g., labor and materials to hook up new customers) as operating revenue. The portion intended to recover the cost of the infrastructure is recognized as nonoperating revenue. Operating expenses for proprietary funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenue and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenue and expenses.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

<u>Bank Deposits and Investments</u>— Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of six months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

<u>Receivables and Payables</u>— In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "due to/from other funds."

All trade and property tax receivables are shown as net of allowance for uncollectible amounts. Property taxes are levied on each July 1st on the taxable valuation of property as of the preceding December 31st. Taxes are considered delinquent on March 1st of the following year, at which time penalties and interest are assessed.

<u>Inventories and Prepaid Items</u>— Inventories are valued at cost, on a first-in, first-out basis. Inventories of governmental funds are recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased. Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

<u>Restricted Assets</u>— The revenue bonds of the enterprise funds require amounts to be set aside for construction, debt service principal and interest, operations and maintenance, and a bond reserve. These amounts have been classified as restricted assets.

<u>Capital Assets</u>—Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items) are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$1,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Interest incurred during the construction of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Property, plant and equipment is depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings	40 to 60 years
Building Improvements	15 to 30 years
Water and Sewer Lines	40 to 60 years
Roads	10 to 30 years
Other Infrastructure	10 to 40 years
Vehicles	3 to 5 years
Office Equipment	5 to 7 years
Computer Equipment	3 to 7 years

Compensated Absences (Vacation, Personal and Sick Leave)—It is the government's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation, personal and sick pay benefits. There is a liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave since the government has a policy to pay a portion of the accumulated benefits to employees upon separation from service with the government in some circumstances. All vacation and personal leave pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only for employee terminations as of year-end.

Long-Term Obligations—In the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt. In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

<u>Fund Equity</u>— In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Comparative Data/Reclassifications

Comparative total data for the prior year have been presented only for individual enterprise funds in the fund financial statements in order to provide an understanding of the changes in the financial position and operations of these funds. Also, certain amounts presented in the prior year data have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations In Budgetary Funds

P.A. 621 of 1978, section 18(1), as amended, provides that a local unit shall not incur expenditures in excess of the amount appropriated.

In the body of the financial statements, the City's actual expenditures, budgeted expenditures and related variances for the budgetary funds have been shown on an activity basis. The approved budgets of the City for these budgetary funds were adopted to the activity level.

Fund/Activity	Actual	Budget	Variance	%
General/Insurance and benefits	248,877	243,620	5,257	2
General/Transfers Out	175,106	169,435	5,671	3
Major Streets/Traffic Service	7,994	0	7,994	~
Local Streets/Route Maintenance	97,702	94,225	3,477	4
Local Streets/Traffic Services	1,980	0	1,980	~
Local Streets/Winter Maintenance	84,530	75,100	9,430	13

NOTE B - CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The City maintains segregated cash and investment accounts which are specific to the fund to which they are available. Deposits and investments are stated at market in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 31.

At year end, the carrying amount of the City's deposits (checking, savings, money market and certificates of deposit) was \$ 4,094,021. The City's deposits are in accordance with statutory authority. The bank balance that is uninsured and uncollateralized is \$3,742,622.

INVESTMENTS

Statutes of the State of Michigan authorize the City to invest in various bank deposit accounts and certain securities. There are no apparent provisions of the statutes requiring that the balances of such investments be partially or fully collateralized with pledged securities of the investee bank, etc.

NOTE B - CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

The City held such investments during the year, including those of the pension trust which is authorized to invest in various instruments in accordance with the provisions of Act 345 of the State of Michigan's Public Acts of 1937 establishing a municipally administered Police and Firemen's Retirement System.

As of June 30, 2004, the pension trust investments consisted of obligations of the United States Treasury, some domestic corporations and common stocks of U.S. corporations. These investments that are represented by specific identifiable investment securities are classified as to credit risk by the three categories described below:

Category 1 - Insured or registered, or securities held by the City or its agent in the City's name.

Category 2 - Uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty's trust department.

Category 3 - Uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty, or by its trust department or agent but not in the City's name.

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	1	2	3
Cash and equivalent	\$ 439,584	\$ 0	\$ 0
U.S. Treasury	2,222,681	0	0
Corporate bonds	638,683	0	0
Corporate stocks	5,323,925	0	0
TOTALS	\$ 8,624,873	\$ 0	\$ 0

NOTE C - PENSION PLANS

MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

PLAN DESCRIPTION

On December 1, 1978 the City adopted employees' Pension Plan B-2 of the state administered Municipal Employees' Retirement System for all eligible employees and elected participation pursuant to Member Contribution Program III, Benefits E and E-2 with F55 waiver. The plan is a state administered agent multiple-employer pension plan. Normal retirement benefits are paid employees retiring at age 60 with 10 or more years of service. The F55 waiver allows a full pension to be paid to retirees less than 60 years old if they have attained the age of 55 and have 15 or more years of credited service. The plan has now been changed to Plan B-3.

NOTE C - PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY

The actuarial accrued liability was determined as part of an actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2003.

GASB 25 INFORMATION

Actuarial	Accrued	Liability:
Actualiai	Accided	Laabiiiv.

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	\$	1,438,697
Terminated employees not yet receiving benefits		25,930
Non-vested terminated employees (refund of contribution)		449
Current employees:		
Accumulated employee contributions including		
allocated investment income		539,149
Employer financed		1,876,204

TOTAL ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY \$ 3,880,429

Net Assets Available for benefits, at actuarial value	3,599,761
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UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY	\$ 280,668

GASB 27 INFORMATION

Fiscal year beginning	July	1, 2005
Annual required contribution	\$	56,532

POLICE AND FIREMEN'S PENSION PLAN

PLAN DESCRIPTION

On July 1, 1960 the City adopted a Police and Firemen's Retirement system pursuant to Act 345 of the Public Acts of 1937, as amended. The retirement system covers all full time employees of the City's public safety department. The Police and Firemen's Pension Plan (P&FPP) is a single employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the City of Kingsford Police and Firemen Pension Board. P&FPP provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Cost of living adjustments are provided to members and beneficiaries retiring after July 1, 1997 on each January 1 at the rate of 2.5% per year. The City Council has retained the right

NOTE C - PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

to establish and amend benefit provisions of the plan. The financial reports for P&FPP are issued as part of the City of Kingsford's annual financial reports and include plan financial statements and required supplementary disclosures.

ACCRUED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY

The actuarial accrued liability was determined as part of an actuarial valuation of the plan as of June 30, 2003.

GASB 25 INFORMATION

Actuarial Accrued Liability: Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits Terminated employees not yet receiving benefits Current employees:	\$ 1,641,443 0
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income Employer financed	726,130 6,058,057
TOTAL ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY	\$ 8,425,630
Net Assets Available for benefits, at actuarial value	9,627,282
(OVERFUNDED) ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY	\$ (1,201,652) =======
GASB 27 INFORMATION	
Fiscal year beginning	July 1, 2005
Annual required contribution	\$ 141,968

NOTE D - DUE TO/FROM OTHER FUNDS

During the course of normal operations, the City has numerous transactions between funds including expenditures and transfers of resources primarily to provide services. Such transactions are generally reflected as transfers in the various funds' financial statements. A summary of balances of interfund receivables and payables at June 30, 2004, follows:

Receivable	Receivable Payable	
General	Major Street	\$ 40,689
General	Local Street	39,434
General	Land Sales	1,994
General	Water Utility	19,543
General	Tax Collection	257
General	Retiree Health	23,519
Sewer	General	24,321

NOTE E - FIXED ASSETS

Capital asset activity of the primary government for the current year was as follows:

	Beginning			Ending
Governmental Activities	Balance	Increases	Decreases	Balance
Capital Assets Being Depreciated				
Land	758,400	0	0	758,400
Buildings	5,024,509	0	0	5,024,509
Machinery and Equipment	1,475,325	142,269	0	1,617,594
Infrastructure	5,999,972	148,930	0	6,148,902
Subtotal	13,258,206	291,199	. 0	13,549,405
Less Accumulated Depreciation for				
Buildings	1,877,686	92,366	0	1,970,052
Machinery and Equipment	990,339	75,007	0	1,065,346
Infrastructure	1,720,032	243,924	0	1,963,956
Subtotal_	4,588,057	411,297	0	4,999,354
Governmental Activities Capital Total				
Capital AssetsNet of Depreciation_	8,670,149	120,098	0	8,550,051

NOTE E - FIXED ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Business-Type Activities	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Capital Assets Being Depreciated Sewer System Water System	479,183 4,673,774	53,024	0 0	532,207 4,673,774
Subtotal	5,152,957	53,024	0	5,205,981
Less Accumulated Depreciation for Sewer System Water System	19,076 2,296,635	12,642 178,621	0	31,718 2,475,256
Subtotal	2,315,711	191,263	0	2,506,974
Business Type Activities Capital Total Capital AssetsNet of Depreciation	2,837,246	(138,239)		2,699,007
Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the primary government as follows:				
Governmental Activities General Government Public Safety Public Works		-	45,361 13,480 61,257	
Total Governmental Activities		=	120,098	
Business-Type Activities Water Sewer		-	178,621 12,642	
Total Business-Type Activities		=	191,263	

NOTE F - FIRST SERIES BOND OF KINGSFORD WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND

On July 18, 1995, the City of Kingsford issued serial revenue bonds in the amount of \$676,000 for improvements to its water supply system. A retirement schedule and a description of the bonds is below:

Payable		October 1				April 1	
Fiscal Year		Interest	_	Principal	_	Interest	 Total
2004-2005	\$	11,723	\$	5,000	\$	11,610	\$ 28,333
2005-2006		11,610		10,000		11,385	32,995
2006-2007		11,385		10,000		11,160	32,545
2007-2008		11,160		10,000		10,935	32,095
2008-2009		10,935		10,000		10,710	31,645
2009+	_	148,455		476,000		137,745	 762,200
TOTALS	\$	205,268	\$	521,000	\$	193,545	\$ 919,813

In 1995, the City completed a water system upgrade and expansion. The project was financed with revenue bonds. The bond was purchased in its entirety by the Rural Development Agency of the United States Department of Agriculture. This bond will be repaid with the revenues generated by charges to water customers. Principal repayments are due annually on each October 1, through 2034. Interest is paid semi-annually on October 1 and April 1 of each year at a rate of 4.5%.

NOTE G - UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND - PUBLIC WORKS BUILDING

The City issued an unlimited tax general obligation bond to the Rural Development Agency of the US Department of Agriculture. The proceeds are being used to construct a replacement Public Works facility for the City. The loan is due in annual installments as set forth in the Schedule of Debt and Interest on each March 1, through 2028 with interest payable at 4.75%. The cumulative debt service schedule is below:

Payable		March 1			•	September 1		
Fiscal Year		Interest	*****	Principal	_	Interest	_	Total
2004-2005	\$	53,381	\$	40,000	\$	53,381	\$	146,762
2005-2006		52,431		40,000		52,431		144,862
2006-2007		51,481		45,000		51,481		147,962
2007-2008		50,412		45,000		50,412		145,824
2008-2009		49,343		50,000		49,343		148,686
2009+	_	552,294	_	2,027,600	-	552,294	*****	3,132,188
TOTALS	\$	809,342	\$	2,247,600	\$	809,342	\$	3,866,284

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2004

NOTE G - UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND (CONTINUED)

The bond was purchased in its entirety by the Rural Development Agency of the US Department of Agriculture. This bond will be repaid with annual tax collections that will vary in rate to insure coverage of its annual debt responsibility. Principal repayments are due annually on each March 1, through 2028. Interest is paid semi-annually on March 1 and September 1 of each year at a rate of 4.75%.

NOTE H - COMPENSATED ABSENCES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 16, the City accrues a liability for compensated absences which meet the following criteria:

- 1. The City's obligation related to employees' rights to receive compensation for future absences is attributable to employees' services already rendered.
- 2. The obligation relates to rights that vest or accumulate.
- 3. Payment of compensation is probable.
- 4. The amount can be reasonably estimated.

In accordance with the above criteria, the City has calculated a liability for sick, personal and vacation leave which has been earned but not taken by City employees.

For governmental funds, a portion of the liability for the vacation, sick and personal leave absences are recorded in applicable funds as earned and that were subsequently liquidated with "expendable and available assets". The total accrued vacation, sick and personal leave earned but not taken as of June 30, 2004, is \$83,026, \$312,385 and \$46,780 respectively. The total accrued sick leave that will be paid upon termination of employment to employees in accordance with bargaining unit contracts and City policies is \$37,819 as of June 30, 2004. For proprietary funds, the liabilities are recorded in the applicable funds as accrued liabilities in accordance with FASB Statement 43.

Specifically, the various contracts and agreements covering the City's personnel allow for the vesting and/or accumulation of leave as follows:

Public Safety Department Employees:

Sick Leave:

Covered employees may accumulate up to 1088 hours of sick leave. Fifty percent (50%) of the first 800 hours of such unused sick leave hours will be paid upon termination or retirement from employment, except for those persons first employed after July 1, 1977 in which case they will be required to work until retirement in order to qualify for the payment of accumulated benefits.

NOTE H - COMPENSATED ABSENCES (continued)

Vacation:

Covered employees are granted annual credit toward vacation with pay based on a longevity schedule. The credit granted will range from 36 - 168 hours. All employees except department heads must use their vacation accrual during the calendar year or forfeit the benefit. Department heads are allowed to carryforward one week of vacation time to the next year but must use that benefit during the first quarter or forfeit the benefit.

Personal Leave Days:

Covered employees except department heads are granted three personal leave days at the beginning of each calendar year with such days to be taken within the calendar year. All employees except department heads must use their personal time accrual during the calendar year or forfeit the benefit. Department heads are granted four personal days at the beginning of each calendar year. All time must be taken prior to the February of the succeeding year or the benefit will be forfeited.

Public Works Employees:

Sick Leave:

Covered employees may accumulate up to 1088 hours of sick leave. Fifty percent (50%) of the first 100 days of such unused sick leave hours will be paid upon termination or retirement from employment, except for those persons first employed after July 1, 1984 in which case they will be required to work until retirement or death in order to qualify for the payment of the accumulated benefits.

Vacation:

Covered employees are granted annual credit toward vacation with pay based on a longevity schedule. The credit granted will range from 40 - 200 hours. All employees except department heads must use their vacation accrual during the calendar year or forfeit the benefit. Department heads are allowed to carryforward one week of vacation time to the next year but must use that benefit during the first quarter or forfeit the benefit.

Personal Leave Days:

Covered employees except department heads are entitled to three personal leave days per calendar year. Such days are charged to accumulated sick time when taken. Department heads are entitled to four personal leave days per calendar year and such days are charged to accumulated sick time when taken.

All Other City Employees:

Sick Leave:

Covered employees may accumulate up to 1088 hours of sick leave. Fifty percent (50%) of the first 800 hours of such unused sick leave hours will be paid upon termination or retirement from employment, except for those persons first employed after July 1, 1984 in

NOTE H - COMPENSATED ABSENCES (continued)

All Other City Employees (continued):

which case they will be required to work until retirement in order to qualify for the payment of accumulated benefits.

Vacation:

Covered employees are granted annual credit toward vacation with pay based on a longevity schedule. The credit granted will range from 40 - 200 hours. All employees except department heads must use their vacation accrual during the calendar year or forfeit the benefit. Department heads are allowed to carryforward one week of vacation time to the next year but must use that benefit during the first quarter or forfeit the benefit.

Personal Leave Days:

Covered employees except department heads are granted three personal leave days at the beginning of each calendar year with such days to be taken within the calendar year. Such days are charged to accumulated sick time when taken.

Department heads are granted four personal leave days at the beginning of each calendar year with such days to be taken within the calendar year. All personal leave days taken are charged to the employee's accumulated sick time.

NOTE I - RETIREES HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL TRUST FUND

Pursuant to Council resolution, the City has provided hospital and medical insurance coverage for qualifying retired employees since October 15, 1981 and has accounted for such transactions within the Retirees Hospital and Medical Trust Fund.

Retired employees that are 62 years of age or greater are entitled to purchase health insurance through the City's health plan with a substantial portion of the cost being paid by the City. Retired employees that are less than 62 year of age are entitled to purchase health insurance through the City's health plan with the employee bearing a substantial portion of the cost.

Because of the rising cost on insurance and more retirees being covered under the Trust Fund, the approved transfer from the general fund has required supplemental transfers, also from the general fund, with the cumulative transfer increasing by more than 21% over the prior year. The City has been making a general fund contribution annually to fund their portion of the liability. The 2003-2004 contribution was \$142,019. The City has not had an actuarial determination made of the expected future liability for this benefit. Consequently, the amount to be paid by the City in future years has not been recorded.

The retiree health benefits for the Public Safety Officers are paid directly through the pension plan. As such, the plan will absorb the Public Safety portion of the cost.

NOTE J - SEWAGE DISPOSAL AGREEMENT

The City has a long-term agreement with the Iron Mountain-Kingsford Joint Sewage Authority for sewage treatment. The agreement is established by an ordinance which provides for the sewer rates, minimum monthly charges and a monthly collection fee for billing services. These rates can be adjusted periodically through ordinance amendments.

NOTE K - RISK MANAGEMENT

The City of Kingsford is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The City of Kingsford maintains commercial insurance covering each of those risks of loss. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the City. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE

GENERAL FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

	ORIGINAL BUDGET	-	AMENDED BUDGET) -	ACTUAL	_	VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 1,688,125	\$	2,034,068	\$	2,065,216	\$	31,148
Resources (Inflows)							
Property taxes	1,877,275		1,877,275		1,897,842		20,567
Federal grants	0		0		7,560		7,560
State shared revenues and grants	686,700		674,700		671,123		(3,577)
Licenses and permits	0		0		157		157
Fines and forfeitures	13,750		13,750		20,547		6,797
Charges for services	108,900		108,900		94,872		(14,028)
Interest and rentals	424,290		417,290		413,680		(3,610)
Sale of property and supplies	0		0		42,516		42,516
Refunds and reimbursements	18,975		21,975		69,277		47,302
Other	0		0		5,997		5,997
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	\$ 4,818,015	\$	5,147,958	\$	5,288,787	\$	140,829
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows)							
General Government							
City council	\$ 25,000	\$	24,770	\$	21,568	\$	3,202
City manager	95,550	-	90,065	-	89,823	•	242
Other administration	56,000		56,000		55,620		380
Elections	2,400		2,400		2,307		93
Assessor/Board of review	62,000		62,000		61,733		267
Clerk	105,000		105,000		100,258		4,742
Treasurer	70,000		70,000		66,201		3,799
City hall, property and grounds	135,000		125,000		85,863		
Public Safety	•				•		39,137
Public Works	1,410,585		1,410,585		1,301,363		109,222
	1.500		1.250		115		1 125
Planning	1,500		1,250		115		1,135
Maintenance	373,595		368,210		319,486		48,724
Alleys	3,000		3,000		2,545		455
Sidewalks	8,500		8,500		7,066		1,434
Christmas decorations	5,720		5,470		2,350		3,120
Motor vehicle pool	135,000		135,000		133,446		1,554
Street supplies	38,000		38,000		37,000		1,000
Street lighting	47,000		47,000		46,277		723
Sanitation	252,425		252,425		251,365		1,060
Rubbish	68,500		68,500		68,291		209
Parks and Recreation	99,730		99,730		99,549		181
Insurance and Benefits	238,020		243,620		248,877		(5,257)
Leases and Rentals	0		0		401		(401)
Transfers to other funds	169,435		169,435		175,106		(5,671)
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 3,401,960	\$	3,385,960	\$	3,176,610	\$	209,350

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE MAJOR STREET FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

	ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
Beginning Fund Balance \$ Resources (Inflows)	270,735	\$ 270,735	\$ 270,735	\$ 0
State shared revenues	345,000	345,000	386,515	41,515
Interest earned	1,000	1,000	4,369	3,369
Other	0	0	0	0
Transfers from other funds	114,285	114,285	0	(114,285)
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION \$	731,020	\$ 731,020	\$ 661,619	\$ (69,401)
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows)				
Construction \$	164,680	\$ 164,680	\$ 108,907	\$ 55,773
Route maintenance	96,060	96,060	85,993	10,067
Traffic services	0	0	7,994	(7,994)
Winter maintenance	120,430	120,430	119,058	1,372
Administration	79,115	79,115	14,173	64,942
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS \$	460,285	\$ 460,285	\$ 336,125	\$ 124,160
BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING \$	270,735	\$ 270,735	\$ 325,494	\$54,759

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE SMALL CITIES GRANT LOAN REPAYMENT FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

	ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
Beginning Fund Balance		\$	176,043	\$ 176,043
Resources (Inflows) Principal repaid			56,489	56,489
Interest earned	BUDGET	BUDGET	30,300	30,300
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	NOT PREPARED	NOT \$ PREPARED	262,832	\$ 262,832
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows)				
General government		\$	4,972	\$ (4,972)
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS		\$	4,972	\$ (4,972)
BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING		\$	257,860	\$257,860

<u>CITY OF KINGSFORD</u> MERS PENSION FUNDING AND STATISTICS JUNE 30, 2004

SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS

ACTUARIAL VALUATION DATE	ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS	ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY	UNFUNDED AAL (UAAL)	FUNDED	COVERED PAYROLL	UAAL AS A PERCENTAGE OF COVERED PAYROLL
31-Dec-01	3,355,184	3,378,071	22,887	99%	743,261	3%
31-Dec-02	3,420,325	3,400,020	(20,305)	101%	786,576	-
31-Dec-03	3,599,761	3,880,429	280,668	93%	810,886	35%

SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS:

	ANNUAL	
	REQUIRED	PERCENTAGE
YEAR ENDED (CONTRIBUTION	CONTRIBUTED
	,	
31-Dec-01	41,418	100%
31-Dec-02	53,428	100%
31-Dec-03	53,838	100%

THE INFORMATION PRESENTED ABOVE WAS DETERMINED AS PART OF THE ACTUARIAL VALUATION AT THE DATES INDICATED. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS OF THE LATEST ACTUARIAL VALUATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

ACTUARIAL COST METHOD	ENTRY AGE NORMAL
AMORTIZATION METHOD	LEVEL PERCENTAGE OF PAYROLL
AMORTIZATION PERIOD	30 YEARS, OPEN
ASSET VALUATION METHOD	ADJUSTED 5 YEAR SMOOTHED MARKET
ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	
INVESTMENT RATE OF RETURN	8.00%
PROJECTED SALARY INCREASES*	4.5% - 8.16%
*INCLUDES MERIT/LONGEVITY INCREASES	0% - 4.16%
INFLATION	3% - 4%
OTHER	1994 GROUP MORTALITY TABLE

CITY OF KINGSFORD POLICE AND FIREMEN'S PENSION FUNDING AND STATISTICS JUNE 30, 2004

SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS

	ACTUADIAI	ACTUADIAI	A CTILADIAI	INICINIDED			UAAL AS A PERCENTAGE OF
_	ACTUARIAL VALUATION	ACTUARIAL VALUE OF	ACTUARIAL ACCRUED	UNFUNDED AAL		COVERED	COVERED
	DATE	ASSETS	LIABILITY	(UAAL)	RATIO	PAYROLL	PAYROLL
		2 4 2 7 2 2 4	6.504.505	(0.510.00()	1200/	004.740	
	30-Jun-01	9,105,391	6,594,505	(2,510,886)		904,748	-
	30-Jun-02	9,493,254	7,217,567	(2,275,687)		946,831 896,360	-
	30-Jun-03	9,627,282	8,425,630	(1,201,652)	114%	690,300	-

NOTE - 2003 INCLUDES POST-RETIREMENT HEALTH CARE INSURANCE COSTS

SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS:

	ANNUAL	
	REQUIRED	PERCENTAGE
YEAR ENDED	CONTRIBUTION	CONTRIBUTED
30-Jun-01	68,701	100%
30-Jun-02	86,976	100%
30-Jun-03	141,968	100%

NOTE - 2003 INCLUDES POST-RETIREMENT HEALTH CARE INSURANCE COSTS

THE INFORMATION PRESENTED ABOVE WAS DETERMINED AS PART OF THE ACTUARIAL VALUATION AT THE DATES INDICATED. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS OF THE LATEST ACTUARIAL VALUATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

	ACTUARIAL COST METHOD	ENTRY AGE NORMAL
	AMORTIZATION METHOD	INDIVIDUAL ENTRY AGE
	AMORTIZATION PERIOD	30 YEARS, OPEN
	ASSET VALUATION METHOD	5 YEAR SMOOTHED MARKET
	ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	
	INVESTMENT RATE OF RETURN	7.00%
	PROJECTED SALARY INCREASES*	5.2% - 8.5%
	*INCLUDES MERIT/LONGEVITY INCREASES	0% - 3.5%
	INFLATION	3%
_	COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT	2.50%
	OTHER	1971 GROUP MORTALITY TABLE

ADDITIONAL

INFORMATION

CITY OF KINGSFORD COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENT FUNDS Year ended June 30, 2004

		SPECIAL RI	EVI	ENUES
		LAND SALES,		
		PURCHASES		
		AND		LOCAL
	<u></u>	DEVELOPMENT		STREETS
Aggete				
Assets Cash and equivalents	\$	9,587	\$	32,700
Due from other governmental units	Ψ	0	Ψ	22,831
Due nom other governmental units			•	22,001
	TOTAL ASSETS \$	9,587	\$,	55,531
Liabilities and Fund Equity				
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	1,440	\$	894
Accrued payroll		0		3,113
Due to other funds		1,994		39,434
	TOTAL LIABILITIES \$	3,434	\$	43,441
	TOTAL LIABILITIES \$		Ψ	,
Fund Balance				
Reserved	\$	0	\$	0
Designated		0		0
Unreserved, undesignated		6,153		12,090
, ,				
	TOTAL FUND EQUITY \$	6,153	\$	12,090
TOTAL LIARII ITO	ES AND FUND EQUITY \$	9,587	\$	55,531
TOTAL LIABILITY	ESTRIPTOND EQUIT \$		Ψ	

DEBT SERVICE	CAPITAL PROJECTS	i I	_
1998 PUBLIC WORKS DEBT SERVICE	 EQUIPMENT AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS		TOTAL NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
\$ 40,971 \$ 0	\$ 61,942	\$	145,200 22,831
\$ 40,971	\$ 61,942	\$	168,031
\$ 0 \$ 0 0	\$ 5,200 0 0	\$	7,534 3,113 41,428
\$ 0 \$	\$ 5,200	\$	52,075
\$ 0 \$ 0 40,971	\$ 0 0 56,742	\$	0 0 115,956
\$ 40,971	\$ 56,742	\$	115,956
\$ 40,971	\$ 61,942	\$	168,031

CITY OF KINGSFORD

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENT FUNDS

Year ended June 30, 2004

		SPECIAL R	EV]	ENUES
		LAND SALES,		•
		PURCHASES		LOCAL
		AND		LOCAL
		DEVELOPMENT		STREETS
D				
Revenues Proporty toyos	\$	0	\$	0
Property taxes Interest earned	Ψ	162		584
Sales of property		6,500		0
Other		0		392 "
State shared revenues		0		134,338
	Ф	((())	Φ	125 214
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	6,662	Þ	135,314
Expenditures				
General government	\$	1,440	\$	0
Public works		0		184,212
Debt service		0		0
Capital outlay		50,000		3,573
Cup				
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	51,440	\$	187,785
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER				
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	(44,778)	\$	(52,471)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$	49,800	e	1,786
Transfer from other funds	Э	49,800	Φ	0
Transfer to other funds		<u> </u>		
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	\$	49,800	\$	1,786
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES	Φ.	5.000	Φ	(50 (95)
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	\$	5,022	\$	(50,685)
Fund Balances - beginning		1,131		62,775
TAND DAY ANGE DIDDIG	ሰ	6,153	₽.	12,090
FUND BALANCE - ENDING	3	0,133	. Ф	12,000

	DEBT SERVICE	 CAPITAL PROJECTS	 _
G _{PC} .	1998 PUBLIC WORKS DEBT SERVICE	EQUIPMENT AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	TOTAL NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
,	\$ 143,681 1,255	\$ 0 793	\$ 143,681 2,794
_	0 0 0	0 0 0	6,500 392 134,338
, -	\$ 144,936	\$ 793	\$ 287,705
;	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,440 184,212
	143,423	128,720	143,423 182,293
	\$ 143,423	\$ 128,720	\$ 511,368
	\$ 1,513	\$ (127,927)	\$ (223,663)
_	\$ 0	\$ 123,520	\$ 175,106
-	\$ 0	\$ 123,520	\$ 175,106
#	\$ 1,513 39,458	\$ (4,407) 61,149	\$ (48,557) 164,513
_	\$ 40,971	\$ 56,742	\$ 115,956

CITY OF KINGSFORD WATER UTILITY FUND BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2004 and 2003

		2004		2003
ASSETS				
Current Assets: Cash and equivalents Accounts receivable Due from other funds	\$	995,550 47,941 0	\$	956,328 46,705 0
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$	1,043,491	\$	1,003,033
Restricted Assets: Repair and reconstruction fund Bond reserve account TOTAL RESTRICTED ASSETS	\$ \$	54,578 43,392 97,970	\$	37,390 41,506 78,896
Property, plant and equipment: Water system Less accumulated depreciation TOTAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	\$	4,673,774 (2,475,256) 2,198,518	\$	4,673,774 (2,296,635) 2,377,139
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	3,339,979	\$	3,459,068
LIABILITIES				
Current Liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued payroll expenses Accrued interest Due to other funds Current portion of long term debt	\$	6,341 7,073 5,861 19,543 5,000	\$	7,095 3,242 5,918 91,606 5,000
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$	43,818	\$	112,861
LONG TERM DEBT - Bonds payable	\$	516,000	\$	521,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	559,818	\$	633,861
FUND EQUITY				
Contributed capital: Federal government - capital grant Municipality	\$	450,950 1,615,392	\$	482,275 1,615,392
Retained earnings: Reserved Designated Unreserved, undesignated	,	97,970 305,000 310,849	-	78,896 190,150 458,494
TOTAL FUND EQUITY	\$	2,780,161	\$	2,825,207
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$	3,339,979	\$	3,459,068

CITY OF KINGSFORD

WATER UTILITY FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN RETAINED EARNINGS ACTUAL, BUDGET AND PRIOR YEAR

Years ended June 30, 2004 and 2003

-			2003-04		_	2002-03
	-	ACTUAL	AMENDED BUDGET	VARIANCE		ACTUAL
OPERATING REVENUES Charges for services: Water sales Taps, thaws and shutoffs Late payment penalties Other	\$	400,750 1,675 3,755 0	\$ 363,200 0 3,400 0	\$ 37,550 1,675 355 0	\$	383,773 1,452 2,898 0
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	\$	406,180	\$ 366,600	\$ 39,580	\$	388,123
OPERATING EXPENSES Source of supply Distribution Clerical and administrative Depreciation	\$	94,753 152,745 31,117 178,621	\$ 203,235 260,695 44,470 178,700	\$ 108,482 107,950 13,353 79	\$	103,493 163,553 29,127 179,301
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$.	457,236	\$ 687,100	\$ 229,864	. \$.	475,474
NET OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	\$	(51,056)	\$ (320,500)	\$ 269,444	\$	(87,351)
NON-OPERATING GAINS/LOSSES Interest earned Interest expense	\$	29,511 (23,501)	\$ 15,500 (23,558)	\$ 14,011 57	\$	34,815 (24,343)
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$	(45,046)	\$ (328,558)	\$ 283,512	\$	(76,879)
Add depreciation of fixed assets acquired by capital grants	-	31,325	0	31,325		31,325
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN RETAINED EARNINGS	\$	(13,721)	\$ (328,558)	\$ 314,837	\$	(45,554)
Retained earnings - beginning	-	727,540			-	773,094
RETAINED EARNINGS - ENDING	\$	713,819			\$	727,540

CITY OF KINGSFORD WATER UTILITY FUND STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS Years ended June 30, 2004 and 2003

		2004		2003
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Receipts from customers	\$	404,944 \$;	393,359
Payments to suppliers		(109,050)		(128,515)
Payments to or on behalf of employees		(166,488)		(165,652)
Internal activity-payments from other funds		(72,063)	_	28,284
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM				
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	57,343 \$	5	127,476
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Principal and interest paid on capital debt	\$	(28,558) \$	3	(60,087)
Purchases of capital assets		0		(17,357)
Funding of restricted accounts		(19,074)	_	(9,372)
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL				
AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(47,632) \$	3	(86,816)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		-0		24015
Interest earned	\$	29,511 \$	-	34,815
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	\$	39,222 \$	S	75,475
Cash and equivalents - beginning		956,328		880,853
CASH AND EQUIVALENTS - ENDING	\$	995,550	S _	956,328
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO				
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES Operating income (loss)	\$	(51,056) \$	2	(87,351)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	Ф	(31,030)	,	(67,331)
Depreciation		178,621		179,301
Change in Assets and Liabilities		,		,
Receivables - net		(1,236)		5,235
 Accounts payable 		(754)		1,518
Accrued payroll expense		3,831		489
Due to other funds		(72,063)	_	28,284
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	57,343	S _	127,476

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE LAND SALES, PURCHASE AND DEVELOPMENT FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

		RIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL		VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
Beginning Fund Balance	5	1,131	\$ 1,131	\$ 1,131	\$	0
Resources (Inflows)						<i>.</i> • • • •
Land sales		0	0	6,500		6,500
Interest earned		200	200	162		(38)
Transfers from other funds	_	49,800	49,800	49,800		0
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION S	\$	51,131	\$ 51,131	\$ 57,593	\$	6,462
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows)						
	\$	35,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 1,440	\$	33,560
Land acquisition	_	50,000	50,000	50,000	•	0
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS S	\$_	85,000	\$ 85,000	\$ 51,440	\$	33,560
BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING S	§ _	(33,869)	\$ (33,869)	\$ 6,153	\$	40,022

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE LOCAL STREET FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

		ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL	 VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
)	Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 62,775	\$ 62,775	\$ 62,775	\$. 0
	Resources (Inflows)				
	State shared revenues	128,000	128,000	134,338	6,338
	Interest earned	1,000	1,000	584	(416)
	Other	0	0	392	392
	Transfers from other funds	79,890	79,890	1,786	(78,104)
•	AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	\$ 271,665	\$ 271,665	\$ 199,875	\$ (71,790)
	Charges to Appropriations (Outflows)				
	Construction	\$ 55,960	\$ 55,960	\$ 3,573	\$ 52,387
	Route maintenance	94,225	94,225	97,702	(3,477)
	Traffic services	0	0	1,980	(1,980)
	Winter maintenance	75,100	75,100	84,530	(9,430)
•	Administration	3,305	3,305	0	3,305
	TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 228,590	\$ 228,590	\$ 187,785	\$ 40,805
	BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING	\$ 43,075	\$ 43,075	\$ 12,090	\$ (30,985)

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE 1998 PUBLIC WORKS DEBT SERVICE FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

	ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL	 VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 39,458	\$ 39,458	\$ 39,458	\$ 0
Resources (Inflows) Property taxes Interest earned	143,428 0	143,428 0	143,681 1,255	253 1,255
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	\$ 182,886	\$ 182,886	\$ 184,394	\$ 1,508
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows) Debt service	\$ 108,500	\$ 108,500	\$ 143,423	\$ (34,923)
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 108,500	\$ 108,500	\$ 143,423	\$ (34,923)
BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING	\$ 74,386	\$ 74,386	\$ 40,971	\$ (33,415)

CITY OF KINGSFORD BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EQUIPMENT AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND Year ended June 30, 2004

	ORIGINAL BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	ACTUAL	 VARIANCE WITH AMENDED BUDGET
	\$ 61,149	\$ 61,149	\$ 61,149	\$ 0
Resources (Inflows) Interest earned	1 200	1 200	702	(407)
	1,200	1,200	793	(407)
Transfers from other funds	124,300	124,300	123,520	(780)
AMOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	\$ 186,649	\$ 186,649	\$ 185,462	\$ (1,187)
Charges to Appropriations (Outflows) Capital outlay	\$ 166,500	\$ 166,500	\$ 128,720	\$ 37,780
TOTAL CHARGES TO APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 166,500	\$ 166,500	\$ 128,720	\$ 37,780
BUDGETARY FUND BALANCEENDING	\$ 20,149	\$ 20,149	\$ 56,742	\$ 36,593

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENTAL AUDITING STANDARDS

The Honorable Mayor and Council City of Kingsford Kingsford, MI 49802

I have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Kingsford, Michigan (City) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, which collectively comprise the City of Kingsford, Michigan's basic financial statements and have issued my report thereon dated September 17, 2004. I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Governmental Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

COMPLIANCE

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's financial statements are free of material misstatement, I performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of my audit, and accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

In planning and performing my audit, I considered the City's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinions on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. My consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be

detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. I noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that I consider to be material weaknesses. However, I noted other matters involving the internal control over financial reporting that I have reported to the management of the City in a separate letter dated September 17, 2004.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, City Council and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

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September 17, 2004

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Honorable Mayor and City Council City of Kingsford 305 South Carpenter Avenue Kingsford, MI 49802

In conjunction with the audit of the financial statements of the City of Kingsford as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, I have reviewed the City's accounting policies and procedures and systems of internal control. My audit was conducted primarily to enable me to formulate an opinion on the City's financial statements and accordingly, would not disclose all weaknesses in the system which may exist. My review disclosed certain areas in which I believe more effective internal control or increased efficiency may be achieved. This letter is intended to summarize my findings and present my overall conclusions and recommendations. It has been prepared solely for the information of the City of Kingsford's council and management and should not be presented or quoted to anyone outside of the City because of the possibility of misunderstanding by other persons who may not be aware of the objectives and limitations of internal controls and my study and evaluation thereof. Each of the items included in last year's letter of comments and recommendations were satisfactorily resolved except the first item noted below:

- 1. **OBSERVATION** The City Council action of several years ago regarding funding retiree health insurance is not adequate to meet the current obligation. The shortage in funding will continue to create a deficit in the fund which is prohibited under Michigan statute.
 - **RECOMMENDATION** I recommend that the council review its previous action and either increase the funding level, decrease the obligation or some combination thereof.
 - At a minimum, I recommend that the Council rescind the previous action regarding the funding of the retiree health insurance. Such a rescission, would effectively remove the funding limitation that now exists. In addition, approval via the budget process or separate Council action should be approved to adequately fund the retiree health insurance liability.
- 2. **OBSERVATION** During the year, the City received two actuarial reports on its Police and Firemen's Pension Fund. The first of the reports established funding levels for the retirement benefits while the other established funding levels for the retiree health benefits. These actuarial determinations were done in compliance with the requirement established by the pension plan and various outside third parties.

The reports reflect funding levels using various actuarial assumptions that do not agree in all cases. In addition, management questioned some of the actuarial assumptions as being overly conservative or not being in agreement with the current collective bargaining agreements.

RECOMMENDATION - A review of the actuarial assumptions should be undertaken in conjunction with the consulting actuaries. In addition, a single actuarial report establishing a funding amount covering both the retirement and health benefits should be requested.

The City requested a single actuarial report of the consulting actuaries after the end of the fiscal year under audit.

I would like to thank the City Council for allowing me to conduct the audit of the financial statements and I would especially like to thank Darryl, Roger, Tony, Jan, Margaret, Linda and Santina for their assistance during the audit.

If the City would like my assistance in implementing any of the above recommendations, I am willing to help in any way that I can.

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September 17, 2004